## PHOTOPLAYS AND **PHOTOPLAYERS**

By GARDNER MACK

## Development of the Youthful Artists Actor Thinks Is Film's Mission.

The manner in which young people have established themselves so firmly in motion pictures is the feature of photoplay work which impreases itself most upon the veterans of the stage who are going into the new work. And while they all speak of it, they do not state that its effect on them is one of the greatest factors for the upbuilding of a sound art in motion pictures. This is due to the fact that the young people in pictures do just what is told them because most of them knownothing else.

The stage stars going into pictures do know how to do something else, and it is up to them to show that they know how to do something else, and it is up to them to show that they know how to do ado it better than the pliable young people who work like machines under the director's risid instructions. If the stage star doean't show that he knows now to do, and does do, better than the youthful photoplayer, the stag star's possibility as a motion picture star vanishes.

At least that is the way it appears to a person who views the photoplay senerally and it is the way it appears to men like W. H. Thompson, the veteran actor lest seen here. In "The Miracle Man," who has recently appeared in his first motion tion picture under the maragement of Tom Ince, for the T-langle Company, by the way, has found a frien. The mean of Tom Ince, for the T-langle Company. The Tritangle Company, by the way, has found a frien. Mr. Thompson declares that the success of the young people who are photoplayers—especially those whom he knew its youngsters trying to gain a foothold on the stage—is the hig thing about the photoplay as he views it.

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"When I look at Mr. Ince in the midst of this tremendeus enterprise." Thompson declares. "I can hardly realize that he is the same boy who played the eart of my son in my play of 'The Father and Son' Just seven years ago.

"Do you know what astounds me most of all in this huge game of picture making? It is not the magnitude of the stage, nor the size of the commanies; it is not the lavism wealth that is poured like a golden stream into the preparation of each generous and faithful set; it is not the genius of the director who marshals this array of talent and who combines these spiendid forces into an accentable scene. No, all of these things are smarins, and they are still too prodigious for my concention, but it is the adantibility of the boys and girls to this herole work. Their facility in making up is, to me, astounding.

"Refore I came down here I had never played in a picture and I had never played in a picture and I had never seen one taken. My first n'cture was taken in support of Billie Burke tin 'Peggy.' All that was necessary was to do as I was told. "I never had a single retake and neither did Billie Burke Both of our director, and never looking at him.

"You know that Ince is a whirland."

him.

"You know that Ince is a whirlwind and a wonder when he settles
down to action. When he was ready
to shoot I felt galvanized into a
dynamo of action and incapable of a
mistake. I am not surprised that he
has attained such a triumph within
action years after taking un this
great work."

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### TODAY'S BEST FILMS

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Wilton Lackaye, Clara Kimball Young, and Paul McAllister, in "Trilby," adapted from the story by George Bullaurier (Equitable), the Leader, Ninth, between E and E streets.

Henry R. Walthall in "The Raven," adapted from the noem by Edgar Allen Poe (Essanay), the Strand, Ninth and D streets.

Everett Butterfield in "The Path of Sin," the Garden, 421 Ninth street, Florence Rockwell in "Body and Soul" (World Film Copp.), Crandall's, Ninth and E streets, Beatrice Micheleha in "Salvation Nell," adapted from the play by Edward Sheldon (World Film Corp.), the Circle, 200, Pensylvania avenue.

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Lillie Leslie and William Cabill in "Voices from the Past" (Lubin), the Georgia, 322 Georgia avenue.
Edna Goodrich in "Armstrong's Wife." by Margaret Turnbull (Lasky), Loew's Columbia, Tweifth and F streets.
Jane Cowl in "The Garden of Lies," the Elite, Fourteenth street and Rhode Island avenue.
Irene Fenwick in "The Woman Next Door" (Kleine-Edison), adapted from the play by Owen Davis, Crandall's Apolio, 624 H street northesat.

east. Hobart Bosworth in "Colorado," adapted from the play by Augus-tua Thomas (Universal), the Olym-pic, 1431 U street.

Note—These selections are made from programs prepared by the managers of the theaters concerned, and no responsibility is assumed for arbitrary changes without notice to The Times. They are based on the personality of the players and the producing company and not personal inspection, except in special cases.

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THE BEST Photoplay Department in WASHINGTON



FLORENCE ROCKWELL.

Actress with many Washington friends, who has recently joined the Pathe Company, but will be seen today at Crandall's in a World Film production.

#### DRAG OF RIDING AND HUNT CLUB EXCITING

Several Parties of Society Folk in Automobiles Follow the Hounds.

With the hounds in full cry setting a orisk pace, the Thanksgiving Day drag of the Washinston Riding and Hunt
Club developed into an exciting chase through the woods and fields in the strong of the measurement of the measurement of the propose of the suburban community through which the chase was held out to see the hunters, while several parties of product rolk in motors followed the hundra as beat they could along the roadwars.

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# Street Cars in Barns

WILKESHARRE, Pa., Nov. 25.—A heavy fog alded the striking street ear men here today. Not a single car left the barne early in the day, company of ficials fearing crowds of strike sympathizers might use the fog stond for concealment while attacking cars.

Foveral cars operated by strike breakers were stoned yesterday. Mounted to public repeatedly rode into bolling crowds that gathered along the relivant fines, but there were no sections riots.

The strikers have agreed to refer the dispute to Governor Brumbaugh for arbitration. The company directors will meet Monday to consider the peace offer.

Buffalo Man Swallows

Richloride by Mistake

# Bichloride by Mistake

George Gurr, a stenographer, who says he lives in Buffalo, is at Emergency Hosnital under treatment for tichloride toolson. He walked into the hospital last night and to'd Pr. Neblett that he had swallowed the poison by mistake. Physicians cannot determine what chances the man has for recovery.

#### Washingtonians to Speak At National Reform Meet

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# UNCLE SAM IN FLESH TO GREET GÁS MEN

Here Next Monday and Be To Hold Sale and Dance in Session a Week.

Uncle Sam in the flesh will welcome the delegates to the National Commercial Gas Association convention W. Richardson, 1317 Connecticut avenue, on December 1, from 3 to 7 o'clock, sinning part M. inning next Monday and continuing intil Saturday.

H. G. Reed, of the Washington Gas Light Company, chairman of the local entertainment committee, an-nounced today that six prominent citizens of Washington would be made up and costumed as Uncle Sam and sent to Baltimore to meet the thousand incoming delegates, who will travel on special trains. Each of the gas men will be presented with a cigar wrapped in red, white and blue paper, and their wives will be given a box of candy similarly wrap-

The specials are due in Baltimore early Monday afternoon and will reach Washington in ample time for the gas men to participate in a din-ner to be given in their honor by President McLean, of the association, that night.

Five carloads of ranges, stoves, lamps.

Five carloads of ranges, stoves, lamps, fixtures, and other gas appliances which will form the exhibit to be shown while the convention is in session have arrived in Washington. Workmen have simost competed the booth on the tenth floor of the Williard in which the exhibits will be installed tomorrow or Monday morning. At least 500 different specimens of gas appliances will be or display.

The local entertainment committee has completed its plans for a number of festivities for the gas men and their wives, including a theater party, to be followed by a supper and dance, a trip to Mt. Vernon, a whist party, two automobile significating to the follower and several small receptions.

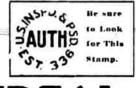
# HIGH SCHOOLS URGED

Congressman Anderson of Minnesota Would Drill Youth of Whole Nation.

Several Washingtonians will be among the speakers at the fifty-third annual convention of the National Reform Association to be held in Pittaburgh on December 5.

Among those scheduled to deliver addresses are the Rev. J. Alvin Campbell, 4508 Eighth street northwest; C. C. McDowell, Alfred E. Barrows, and William I. Campbell.

The object of the association is to promote and foster Christianship. The Washington men have been invited to bring a message to the convention from the seat of government.



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#### J. R. Lang Gives Bond of \$3,000 for Appearance

John R. Lang, accused of embezzle-ment in three indictments reported by the grand jury Wednesday under the bankruptcy law, gave bond in Criminal National Convention Will Meet Lang, and Michael E. Buckley.

For the House of Mercy

A Christmas sale and dance for the

# Didn't Expect To Live

In a letter to the Pinus laboratories, Mrs. G. O. Walker, of Walker, Lane county, Oregon, writes:

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